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Remarks

Applicants desire to correct a mis-statement that was made in the original reply. On page 13 of the Amendment and Reply that was filed on October 4, 2004, Applicants stated:

"... The alignment "scores" are shown on the top line of every section but the first section. The higher the score, the better the alignment."

The sentence "The alignment 'scores' are shown on the top line of every section but the first section," is incorrect. The alignment scores are also shown on the top line of the first section. Applicants sincerely regret any confusion this has caused the examiner. Reconsideration of this Application is respectfully requested.

Conclusion

All of the stated grounds of objection and rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Applicants therefore respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all presently outstanding objections and rejections and that they be withdrawn. Applicants believe that a full and complete reply has been made to the outstanding Office Action and, as such, the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

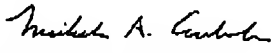
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Prompt and favorable consideration of this Amendment and Reply is respectfully
requested.

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